

EMIGRATION STATISTICS

OF

IRELAND

FOR THE YEAR

1915.

REPORT AND TABLES SHOWING THE NUMBER, AGES, CONJUGAL CONDITION, AND DESTINATIONS OF THE EMIGRANTS FROM EACH COUNTY AND PROVINCE IN IRELAND DURING THE YEAR 1915; ALSO THE OCCUPATIONS OF THE EMIGRANTS, AND THE NUMBER OF EMIGRANTS WHO LEFT EACH PORT IN EACH MONTH OF THE YEAR.

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ON

THE EMIGRATION STATISTICS OF IRELAND

FOR THE YEAR 1915.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY IVOR CHURCHILL, BARON WIMBORNE,

Esq., Esq., Esq.,

LORD LIEUTENANT-GENERAL AND GENERAL GOVERNOR OF IRELAND.

I have now the honour of submitting for your Excellency's consideration this Report on the Statistics of Emigration from Ireland for the year 1915.

Emigration
from Irish
Ports.

An "Emigrant" is defined, for the purposes of this Report, as "a person who leaves Ireland with the intention of *settling permanently elsewhere*," and the Enumerators have instructions to furnish particulars regarding such persons departing in each *passenger ship* which sails from an Irish port.

Returns for each month of 1915 have already been published, giving the number of emigrants, and showing the comparative figures for the preceding years.

The following detailed tables are given in the summary portion of this Report:—Table 1 showing, for each county and province, the numbers, sexes, ages, and conjugal condition of the persons who emigrated from Ireland in the year 1915.—Table 2 showing the ages and occupations of the male and female emigrants who left Ireland in the year 1915.—Table 3 giving information regarding the occupations by certain age-periods of the emigrants who left Ireland for the United States of America in the year 1915.—Table 4 showing the destinations of emigrants (natives of Ireland) from each province and county during the year 1915, and the number of emigrants from each county to every 1,000 of the population, according to the Census of 1911.—Table 5 giving the number of male and female emigrants (natives of Ireland) who left Irish Ports, during each month of the year 1915.

The total number of emigrants from Ireland during the year 1915 was 10,792 (6,671 males and 4,121 females). Of the males, 6,567, and of the females, 4,092, were natives of Ireland, the total number of such, 10,659, being equivalent to a rate of 2.4 per 1,000 of the estimated population* and showing a decrease of 9,655 as compared with the year 1914.

The collection of emigration returns for Ireland began on the 1st May, 1851, and the reports based thereon show that the total number of emigrants—natives of Ireland—who left Irish ports from the above-mentioned date to the end of December, 1915, amounts, in the aggregate, to 4,309,300, the number of males being 2,241,316 and of females 2,067,984. The number of emigrants for each year,

Number of
Emigrants
1851-1915.

* The estimated population in the year 1914 has been adopted for the year 1915.

from 1st May, 1851, to the 31st December, 1915, is given in Table I, also the estimated population and the emigration rate per 1,000 for each year of the included period.

TABLE I.—Showing the Number of Emigrants—NATIVES OF IRELAND—who left the Ports of Ireland in each year, from the 1st of May, 1851,* to the 31st of December, 1915; also the population estimated to the middle of each year, and the rate per 1,000 of the population in each of the years. 1852–1915.

Years	No. of Emigrants	Estimated Population	Rate per 1,000 of the Estimated Population	Years	No. of Emigrants	Estimated Population	Rate per 1,000 of the Estimated Population	Years	No. of Emigrants	Estimated Population	Rate per 1,000 of the Estimated Population
1851	152,069	6,514,475	—	1872	78,302	5,372,800	14.5	1894	35,805	4,589,260	7.8
1852	190,322	6,336,340	30.0	1873	90,149	5,327,138	16.9	1895	48,703	4,539,936	10.7
1853	173,148	6,194,964	27.9	1874	73,184	5,258,979	13.8	1896	38,505	4,512,061	8.5
1854	140,555	6,083,183	23.1	1875	31,462	5,278,659	9.7	1897	32,535	4,389,917	7.3
1855	91,914	6,014,665	15.3	1876	37,587	5,277,544	7.1	1898	32,341	4,318,478	7.1
1856	90,781	5,972,851	15.2	1877	38,003	5,286,380	7.2	1899	41,282	4,302,401	9.2
1857	35,043	5,919,404	14.1	1878	41,124	5,282,568	7.7	1900	45,288	4,368,601	10.1
1858	64,337	5,890,814	10.9	1879	47,065	5,280,025	8.8	1901	39,413	4,447,085	8.9
1859	80,959	5,861,711	13.8	1880	91,317	5,202,048	17.5	1902	40,100	4,434,551	9.1
1860	84,621	5,820,980	14.5	1881	74,447	5,145,770	15.2	1903	39,789	4,417,797	8.9
1861	64,595	5,788,415	11.1	1882	85,138	5,101,018	17.5	1904	36,902	4,408,103	8.4
1862	70,117	5,775,398	12.1	1883	108,724	5,023,811	21.6	1905	30,676	4,399,308	7.0
1863	117,229	5,718,335	20.5	1884	75,803	4,974,561	15.2	1906	33,344	4,397,671	8.1
1864	114,169	5,680,537	20.2	1885	65,694	4,938,588	13.0	1907	30,082	4,384,481	6.9
1865	101,497	5,694,389	18.1	1886	65,138	4,905,895	12.9	1908	23,295	4,384,481	5.3
1866	99,407	5,632,342	18.0	1887	82,623	4,877,119	17.1	1909	28,676	4,384,481	6.3
1867	80,826	5,488,599	14.7	1888	78,684	4,804,312	16.4	1910	32,437	4,385,421	7.4
1868	61,018	5,485,914	11.2	1889	70,477	4,757,385	14.8	1911	39,573	4,385,098	7.9
1869	68,683	5,440,694	12.6	1890	61,313	4,717,889	12.8	1912	39,545	4,384,710	8.7
1870	74,355	5,418,512	13.8	1891	59,623	4,680,376	12.7	1913	36,937	4,379,012	7.1
1871	71,240	5,398,179	13.2	1892	50,807	4,633,808	11.0	1914	30,314	4,381,288	6.9
				1893	48,147	4,597,452	10.4	1915	10,659	4,381,288	2.4

* The date at which the collection of these Returns commenced.

The above tabular statement show that the largest number of emigrants (natives of Ireland) for any year of the period 1852–1915 was 190,322 in the year 1852, this number representing a rate of 30.0 per 1,000 of the population of Ireland estimated to the middle of the year; and that the lowest number was 10,659 (or 2.4 per 1,000 of the estimated population) in the year under notice, 1915. Between the figures for 1852 and 1915 the six highest numbers were—173,148 in 1853, affording a rate of 27.9 per 1,000; 140,555, or 23.1 per 1,000, in 1854; 117,229 in 1863, with a rate of 20.5 per 1,000; 114,169 in 1864, with a rate of 20.2 per 1,000 of the estimated population; 108,724 in 1883, the rate per 1,000 of the population being 21.6; and 101,497 in 1865, or 18.1 per 1,000 of the population; and the six lowest between the extremes referred to were 20,314 (or 4.6 per 1,000 of the population) in 1914; 23,295 (equivalent to 5.3 per 1,000 of the population) in 1908; 28,676 (or 6.5 per 1,000 of the population) in 1909; 29,344 (equivalent to 6.7 per 1,000 of the population) in 1912; 30,573 equivalent to 7.0 per 1,000 of the population) in 1911; and 30,676 in 1905, the rate per 1,000 of the estimated population being 7.0.

As already stated, the number of emigrants for the year 1915 is the lowest recorded. In the ten years 1905–1914, the average was 30,073; in the ten years, 1895–1904, the average number of emigrants was 39,549; in the ten years 1885–1894, the annual average was 61,310; in the ten years, 1875–1884, the average number was 66,340; in the ten-yearly period, 1865–1874, it was 79,670; and the average for the ten years, 1855–1864 was 87,314.

The number of male and female emigrants from each province during the years 1914 and 1915 and the increase or decrease in 1915, is shown in Table II. It appears that in comparison with 1914 there is an increase of 45 for the province of Leinster, a decrease of 4,102 for Munster, of 2,322 for Ulster, and 2,776 for Connaught.

The 10,659 natives of Ireland who left the country during the year 1915 include 2,905 from Leinster, or 2.5 per 1,000 of the population of the province in 1911; 1,550 or 1.5 per 1,000, from Munster; 3,790, or 2.4 per 1,000 from Ulster; 2,414, or 3.9 per 1,000, from Connaught; the total number being equal to 2.4 per 1,000 of the population of Ireland.

TABLE II.—Showing the Number of Emigrants from each Province, during 1914 and 1915, and the increase or decrease in the latter year.

EMIGRANTS FROM	Males.			Females.			Totals.		
	1914.	1915.	Increase or Decrease in 1915.	1914.	1915.	Increase or Decrease in 1915.	1914.	1915.	Increase or Decrease in 1915.
			No. crease.			No. crease.			No. crease.
PROVINCES									
Leinster, -	1,848	1,837	189	1,212	1,068	144	2,860	2,905	45
Munster, -	2,363	2,779	1,974	2,699	571	2,128	5,552	1,559	4,102
Ulster, -	3,435	2,883	1,102	3,127	1,467	1,730	6,612	3,790	2,822
Connaught, -	2,574	1,268	1,205	2,416	1,016	1,570	3,190	2,414	2,776
Total—Natives of Ireland, -	10,650	6,567	4,093	9,654	4,062	5,562	20,314	10,659	9,655
Persons belonging to other Countries,	207	104	103	62	29	33	269	133	136
General Total, -	10,857	6671	4,196	9,716	4,121	5,595	20,583	10,792	9,791

Table III on page 6 shows that during the period from the 1st May, 1851, to the 31st December, 1915, an aggregate total of 4,359,936 persons emigrated from Irish ports, comprising 4,309,300 natives of Ireland, and 50,636 persons belonging to other countries. The number of natives of Ireland who emigrated during the period (1851-1915) is equivalent to 82.6 per cent. of the average population,* Munster contributing 1,489,098 persons, being equal to 111.0 per cent. of the average population of the province; Connaught, 729,083, or 91.5 per cent.; Ulster, 1,236,872, or 70.5 per cent., and Leinster, 743,508, equivalent to 56.2 per cent. of its average population*. The county to which the emigrants belonged was not specified in the returns in 110,739 cases; this information, has, however, been obtained in every case since 1876, with the exception of 53 cases in 1880 and 71 in 1903.

* Calculated on an average of the Census Numbers for 1851, 1861, 1871, 1881, 1891, 1901, and 1911.

[TABLE.]

Number of
Emigrants
from each
County and
Province.

TABLE III.—Showing, by Sexes, the number of Emigrants from each Province and County, from the 1st of May, 1851, to the 31st of December, 1915, with the ratio to the average Population.*

PROVINCES AND COUNTIES.	Estimated Average Population.*	Emigrants from 1st May, 1851, to 31st December, 1915.			
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Emigrants to every 100 of the Average Population.*
PROVINCE OF LEINSTER.					
Carlow County	48,537	18,341	17,300	35,541	73.5
Dublin "	427,137	69,876	53,128	123,004	29.3
Kildare "	73,180	32,105	17,760	50,865	51.0
Kilkenny "	104,908	40,513	27,709	78,228	74.6
King's "	76,811	32,187	30,314	62,451	81.8
Longford "	40,415	32,120	31,265	63,385	104.9
Louth "	80,137	28,887	24,230	48,117	60.0
Meath "	91,968	36,541	33,049	69,590	75.7
Queen's "	76,028	30,190	22,917	53,107	79.1
Westmeath "	77,116	28,535	25,157	53,692	69.6
Wexford "	128,422	39,967	35,899	75,866	59.1
Wicklow "	74,030	17,744	13,918	31,662	42.8
TOTAL,	1,323,004	391,963	331,546	743,508	56.2
PROVINCE OF MUNSTER.					
Clare County	144,201	82,661	86,002	168,663	116.9
Cork "	493,309	287,016	268,155	555,171	112.8
Kerry "	191,800	120,450	120,926	241,376	125.8
Limerick "	85,786	97,902	94,794	192,696	103.7
Tipperary "	212,134	114,516	107,398	221,914	104.6
Waterford "	114,891	58,605	50,673	109,278	95.1
TOTAL,	1,841,121	761,150	727,948	1,489,098	111.0
PROVINCE OF ULSTER.					
Antrim County	416,804	172,017	125,588	297,605	71.4
Armagh "	159,587	80,008	46,962	126,970	67.0
Cavan "	128,430	63,101	61,774	124,875	97.2
Donegal "	206,414	74,106	66,880	140,986	68.1
Down "	295,069	97,007	64,964	161,971	55.1
Fermanagh "	85,902	30,626	28,885	59,511	69.3
Londonderry "	164,630	64,932	60,693	125,625	70.2
Monaghan "	102,519	41,770	38,217	79,987	77.9
Tyrone "	136,048	78,473	62,771	141,244	76.1
TOTAL,	1,754,536	683,639	553,233	1,236,872	70.5
PROVINCE OF CONNAUGHT.					
Galway County	259,308	111,853	123,892	235,745	96.5
Leitrim "	87,731	42,357	43,427	85,784	97.7
Mayo "	232,880	90,999	113,159	204,158	87.7
Roscommon "	130,735	56,423	59,933	116,356	89.0
Sligo "	105,947	41,258	45,880	87,138	82.2
TOTAL,	796,599	342,799	386,294	729,093	91.5
County unspecified,	—	61,766	48,973	110,739	—
TOTAL—NATIVES OF IRELAND,	—	3,241,316	3,067,984	6,309,300	82.6
Persons belonging to other Countries, who embarked at Irish Ports from 1851 to 1915, inclusive,	—	35,674	14,962	50,636	—
GENERAL TOTAL,	5,216,257	3,276,990	3,082,946	6,359,936	—

* Based on the Census Returns of 1851, 1861, 1871, 1881, 1891, 1901, and 1911.

From Table IV., in which the ages of the emigrants in the year 1915 are shown in 9 periods, it will be observed that 83.6 per cent. of the persons who left Ireland were between the ages of fifteen and thirty-five years, the percentage over thirty-five years of age being 9.6, and that of persons under fifteen years, 6.8. In 1914 the percentage of persons between 15 and 35 years of age who left Ireland was 86.6 per cent.; the percentage over 35 years was 6.0 and that under 15 years was 7.4; in 1913 the percentage of persons between 15 and 35 years of age was 85.4, the percentage over 35 years being 6.6 and that of persons under 15 years 8.0; in 1912 the corresponding percentages for the three age-periods given above, were 85.9, 6.5, and 7.6, respectively, and in 1911 the respective percentages were 85.7, 6.7 and 7.6. In 1910 the percentage of emigrants who were from fifteen to thirty-five years of age was 86.3; in 1909 it was 86.3; in 1908 the percentage was 81.2; in 1907 it was 83.9; in 1906 it was 83.1; in 1905 it was 84.1; in 1904 it was 83.8; in 1903 it was 80.9; in 1902, 81.5; in 1901, 80.5; in 1900, 82.2; in 1899, 82.9; in 1898, 82.3; in 1897, 83.0; in 1896, 83.7; and in 1895, 84.7.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER and AGES of EMIGRANTS from each Province and from all Ireland, during 1915, also the proportion per cent. at each age-period.

AGES	LEINSTER		MUNSTER		ULSTER		CONNAUGHT		Persons belonging to other Countries— No. of Persons	TOTAL	
	Number of Persons	Proportion per cent. at each age-period	Number of Persons	Proportion per cent. at each age-period	Number of Persons	Proportion per cent. at each age-period	Number of Persons	Proportion per cent. at each age-period		Number of Persons	Proportion per cent. at each age-period
Under 1 year,	5	0.2	3	0.2	20	0.6	3	0.1	-	31	0.3
1 and under 3,	42	1.4	18	1.2	131	3.5	28	1.2	10	229	2.1
5 " 10,	133	4.6	40	2.9	250	5.9	61	2.5	20	479	4.4
15 " 20,	1,419	48.9	910	60.6	1,873	49.4	1,389	63.8	26	5,617	54.2
20 " 25,	967	33.3	604	39.9	1,104	29.1	923	23.0	36	3,778	35.4
25 " 30,	597	9.2	65	4.2	302	8.0	97	4.0	30	761	7.1
30 " 35,	62	1.8	9	0.6	165	3.8	26	1.1	6	268	1.9
35 " 40,	10	0.3	1	0.1	21	0.5	3	0.1	1	36	0.3
40 and upwards,	9	0.3	5	0.4	14	0.4	5	0.2	2	36	0.3
Age not specified,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	0.0
TOTAL,	2,935	100.	1,589	100.	3,790	100.	2,414	100.	133	10,722	100.

Table 1, on pages 10-11 shows the numbers, ages, sexes, and conjugal condition of the emigrants from each county of Ireland together with corresponding information with respect to persons belonging to other countries, who embarked at Irish ports during the year 1915. The quinquennial age-period, 20-25 years furnished the largest number of both male and female emigrants (2,524 males and 1,712 females)—the emigrants at this age-period forming 39.3 per cent. of the entire number of those who emigrated during the year 1915.

Of the male emigrants during the year 1915, numbering 6,671, there were 759 or 11.4 per cent., described as married men or widowers; and of the 4,121 female emigrants, 722 or 17.5 per cent., were returned as married or widowed. Of the 4,236 persons between the ages of 20 and 25 years who emigrated, 66 only were married—12 males and 54 females.

The destinations of the emigrants (natives of Ireland) from each county during the year 1915, is shown in Table 4, on page 15. Of the total number of emigrants, 7,761 (or 72.8 per cent.) embarked for the Colonies or Foreign Countries, and 2,898 (or 27.2 per cent.) to Great Britain. The United States of America was the destination of 6,681 emigrants (or 62.7 per cent. of the total number of emigrants—natives of Ireland) in 1915, as compared with an average of 19,877 (or 71.5 per cent.) for the four preceding years. Emigration to Canada shows a decrease from 2,909 in 1914 to 597 in 1915. The number of emigrants to South Africa in 1915 was 68 as against 118 in the year 1914. The emigrants to Australia numbered 347 in 1915, as against 768 in 1914, 915 in 1913, 842 in 1912, 765 in 1911, 613 in 1910, 782 in 1909, 607 in 1908, 365 in 1907, 343 in 1906, 285 in 1905, 336 in 1904, 380 in 1903, 496 in 1902, 595 in 1901, 834 in 1900, 1,005 in 1899, 837 in 1898, 676 in 1897, 545 in 1896, and 629 in 1895.

The emigrants to New Zealand in 1915 numbered 53, the number in 1914 being 172. Of the 15 persons who went to "Other Countries" during the year, 5 were returned as emigrating to Jamaica, 4 to the Argentine Republic, 2 to Portugal, and one to each of India, France, Italy and the Malay Peninsula.

Included in 6,681 emigrants (natives of Ireland) to the United States in 1915 are 2,164 natives of Connaught, 1,628 of Leinster, 1,490 of Ulster, and 1,399 of Munster. Of those who left for Australia 187 were natives of Leinster, 87 of Ulster, 60 of Munster, and 13 of Connaught. Out of a total of 597 emigrants to Canada no less than 360 were natives of the province of Ulster, 196 being natives of Leinster.

The number of emigrants (natives of Ireland) who emigrated during the year 1915 with the intention of settling permanently in Great Britain, was 2,898; of this number 1,954 embarked for England and Wales and 944 for Scotland. The average numbers for England and Wales and Scotland in the four years preceding were 1,213 and 307, respectively.

TABLE V.—Showing the Destinations of the Emigrants—Natives of Ireland—who left during each of the 5 years 1911-15; the estimated population in the middle of each of those years; the ratio of Emigrants to the Population; and the Proportion per cent. of the total number of Emigrants who left for each Destination.

Year.	To the Colonies and Foreign Countries.							To Great Britain.			General Total.	Estimated Population in the mid-24th of each Year.	Ratio of Emigrants to every 1,000 of the population.
	America (United States).	Canada.	South Africa.	Australia.	New Zealand.	Other Countries.	Total.	England and Wales.	Scotland.	Total.			
1911	22,010	5,478	118	765	165	36	28,568	1,904	411	2,315	50,878	4,555,603	7.0
1912	26,494	5,788	147	842	169	45	33,577	1,431	445	1,876	59,844	4,594,710	6.7
1913	21,188	6,673	214	915	250	68	29,258	911	358	1,269	50,967	4,576,622	7.1
1914	18,373	2,969	118	768	172	28	19,261	914	353	1,267	50,314	4,581,398	4.6
1915	6,681	597	68	347	53	16	7,761	1,954	944	2,898	10,659	4,581,398	2.4
Proportion per Cent.													
1911	72.0	17.9	0.4	2.5	0.5	0.1	93.4	5.8	1.8	6.6	100	—	—
1912	69.7	19.7	0.5	2.9	0.6	0.2	96.6	4.9	1.6	6.4	100	—	—
1913	70.5	21.6	0.7	3.0	0.7	0.1	96.3	3.9	0.6	3.7	100	—	—
1914	37.2	14.9	0.5	3.8	0.8	0.1	56.3	4.6	0.7	5.2	100	—	—
1915	62.7	8.6	0.6	3.3	0.6	0.1	72.9	18.3	8.9	27.2	100	—	—

In Table 4, page 15, the destinations of the emigrants—natives of Ireland—in 1915, the Census populations in 1911 and the ratio of the emigrants to every 1,000 of the population for each county and province are given. It appears from this table that the highest provincial rate was 3.9 per 1,000 of the population for Connaught; the rate for Leinster, was 2.5; for Ulster, 2.4; and for Munster, 1.5. In the counties the highest rates were as follows:—Louth, 11.5; Longford, 7.5; Sligo, 7.0; Leitrim, 6.1; Kildare, 4.6; Armagh, 4.6; and Cavan, 4.6.

Particulars regarding the occupations and ages of the emigrants of each sex who left Ireland in 1915 will be found in Table 2, on pages 12 and 13. From an examination of this table it will be seen that of the 6,305 males aged 15 years and upwards, 4,561 or 72.3 per cent., were returned as "labourers"; and of the 2,748 females at 15 years and upwards, 2,568, or 68.5 per cent., were returned as "servants."

The number of emigrants who embarked as steerage passengers to the United States was 6,618 and of these 579 had their passages paid for in America.

In the following statement a comparison is shown between the figures for 1915 and those for each of the 10 years, 1905-14:—

Year.	Stowage Passengers to the United States of America.	
	Total Number.	Number who had their passages paid for in America.
1905	22,966	8,884
1906	25,278	9,550
1907	27,353	8,927
1908	15,373	5,268
1909	20,053	6,814
1910	22,639	7,263
1911	19,897	6,896
1912	18,557	5,762
1913	19,868	5,671
1914	15,649	5,752
1915	6,518	579

Of the 579 emigrants whose passages were paid for in America in the year 1915, 68 left in March Quarter, 145 in June Quarter, 215 in September Quarter, and 151 in December Quarter of 1915.

Table 3, on page 14 of this Report, contains information regarding the occupations and ages of emigrants to the United States of America.

I have the honour to be

Your Excellency's faithful servant,

WILLIAM J. THOMPSON,

Registrar-General

GENERAL REGISTER OFFICE,

Charlemont House, Dublin,

3rd April, 1916.

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From what County, Province, or Country.		Under 15 years.	15 and under 20 years.	20 and under 25 years.	25 and under 30 years.	30 and under 35 years.	35 and under 40 years.	40 and under 45 years.	45 and under 50 years.	50 and under 55 years.	55 and under 60 years.	60 and under 65 years.	65 and under 70 years.	70 and over.	Total Number of Males.	Total Number of Females.	Grand Total.
Antrim.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	6	4	2	68	108	96	51	18	10	4	2	..	393	..	393
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	1	1	13	15	37	19	10	4	2	50	..	50
Carson.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	5	1	3	69	97	40	12	1	..	2	..	..	217	..	217
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	3	3	2	35	67	85	4	1	..	1	..	..	143	..	143
Down.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	4	5	3	66	307	70	57	34	3	1	..	..	574	..	574
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	2	2	..	66	40	20	6	1	..	1	..	..	161	..	161
Down Co. & Belfast Co. Borough, part of.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	3	38	28	41	230	87	82	8	0	0	..	..	500	..	500
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	2	14	11	0	51	85	27	8	1	2	..	..	164	..	164
Fermanagh.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	1	3	3	1	40	22	9	1	1	..	..	..	70	..	70
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	..	..	..	..	77	2	2	1	..	..	..	..	82	..	82
Longferry Co. & Co. Borough.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	1	1	3	3	34	34	6	1	1	..	..	..	70	..	70
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	..	..	..	..	36	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	41	..	41
Monaghan.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	5	2	..	31	85	33	28	3	..	..	..	..	154	..	154
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	..	..	..	..	46	20	1	3	1	..	..	..	71	..	71
Tyrone.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	1	3	3	31	89	38	0	2	2	..	..	..	156	..	156
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	..	..	..	..	30	28	1	..	..	..	..	..	59	..	59
Total of Ulster.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	18	22	26	42	438	874	486	242	68	28	12	7	..	2,006	..	2,006
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	..	..	..	..	27	59	27	20	30	5	2	..	1,087	..	1,087
Galway.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	1	9	3	5	26	168	95	13	1	..	..	..	..	261	..	261
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	..	..	..	..	82	38	4	1	..	..	..	..	125	..	125
Kildare.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	2	4	1	36	100	48	..	..	..	..	..	..	185	..	185
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	..	..	..	..	33	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	36	..	36
Mayo.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	1	4	4	39	155	95	34	2	..	..	..	..	280	..	280
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	..	..	..	..	107	50	3	..	..	..	..	..	160	..	160
Roscom's.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	2	1	0	31	49	99	2	1	..	..	..	..	184	..	184
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	..	..	..	..	40	13	1	..	..	..	..	..	54	..	54
Sligo.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	2	4	8	36	236	78	24	2	..	..	..	..	278	..	278
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	..	..	..	..	21	20	6	..	..	..	..	..	47	..	47
Total of Connaught.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	8	22	24	25	335	650	394	81	3	..	..	..	..	1,297	..	1,297
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	..	..	..	..	102	49	13	30	10	1	1	..	177	..	177
Total Number of Ireland.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	26	54	59	67	873	1,524	980	323	81	31	13	9	..	3,503	..	3,503
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	..	..	..	..	179	100	40	30	11	2	3	..	355	..	355
Persons belonging to other Countries—																	
Great Britain.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	8	0	0	30	0	11	3	0	..	..	..	..	42	..	42
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3
The Channel Islands, Guernsey, and the Isle of Man.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other Countries.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Total.	M. Single, Married and Widowed.	18	129	184	201	903	1,524	1,010	327	84	31	13	9	..	3,503	..	3,503
	F. Single, Married and Widowed.	..	..	..	..	..	179	100	40	30	11	2	3	..	355	..	355

TABLE 2.—Showing the OCCUPATIONS and AGES of MALE and

Occupations.	Age.										
	Under 1 year	1 and under 5 years	5 and under 10	10 and under 15	15 and under 20	20 and under 25	25 and under 30	30 and under 35	35 and under 40	40 and under 45	45 and under 50
TOTAL MALES AND FEMALES.	51	229	256	285	3,411	3,496	3,459	324	445	318	218
TOTAL MALES.	35	118	154	181	963	2,754	1,695	657	279	205	80
CLASSED.											
I.—Professional and Independent Class.											
I.—Bridle Class.	..	..	..	..	52	1	18	4	8	..	..
II.—Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers.	..	..	..	..	20	20	15	15	30	..	..
III.—General Service Class.	..	..	..	..	127	1,191	1,402	402	176	124	64
IV.—Unemployed.	15	136	234	87	38	33	12	8	15	2	5
I.—Professional and Independent Class.—											
Medical, Legal, and other Professions.	..	..	..	..	1	15	4	2	..	..	..
II.—Bridle Class.—											
Clerks and Accountants.	..	..	..	1	18	168	168	55	19	22	2
Commercial Travellers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Farmers.	..	..	..	..	18	20	30	22	14	9	4
Subsistence and Teachers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Shopkeepers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ship Assistants.	..	..	..	..	14	127	165	54	4	7	1
Others.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
III.—Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers.—											
Butchers and Butcherers.	..	..	..	..	9	1	2	2	2	1	..
Bakers.	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Brewers and Publican.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Boat and Shipbuilders.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Blacksmiths.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Carpenters.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cabinet-makers and Upholsterers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cottagers and Joiners.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Coach-makers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Coopers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dyers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Engine Drivers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Engineers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Industries, Agriculture, and Forestry.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Miners and Quarrymen.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Millers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Millwrights.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Shoemakers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tailors.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Watchmakers and Jewellers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Trades not before specified.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other Occupations meeting with Trades.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
IV.—General Service Class.—											
Bridges and Pedlars.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bridges and Pedlars.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gardens.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Labourers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Carpenters.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Railway Labourers, Servants, and Shopkeepers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Servants.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Unemployed.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
V.—Unemployed (including wives and children).	15	136	234	87	38	33	12	8	15	2	5
TOTAL FEMALES.	16	111	102	104	2,448	2,742	2,764	267	166	113	88
I.—Professional and Independent Class.											
I.—Bridle Class.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
II.—Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
III.—General Service Class.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
IV.—Unemployed.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
I.—Professional and Independent Class.—											
Ladies.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
II.—Bridle Class.—											
Clerks and Typists.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Barristers, Solicitors, and Teachers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Shopkeepers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ship Assistants.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
III.—Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers.—											
Bakers and Millers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bakers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Millers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Watchmakers and Jewellers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Trades not before specified.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other Occupations meeting with Trades.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
IV.—General Service Class.—											
Farm Servants.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Labourers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Servants.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
V.—Unemployed (including wives and children).	15	136	234	87	38	33	12	8	15	2	5

FEMALE EMIGRANTS who left Ireland during the year 1915.

AGES.				General Total	RESIDENCY.				Persons belong- ing to other Coun- tries	OCCUPATIONS
					NATIVES OF IRELAND					
20 and under 20	20 and under 20	20 and up- wards	Not speci- fied		English	Scottish	Other	Over- sight		
20	21	22	23	10,792	3,705	1,329	3,778	2,018	103	TOTAL MALES AND FEMALES.
21	22	23	24	6,693	1,287	879	3,382	1,229	181	TOTAL MALES.
22	23	24	25	35	13	4	7	1	—	CLASSES.
23	24	25	26	860	282	212	365	120	8	I.—Professional and Independent Class.
24	25	26	27	950	310	34	595	60	16	II.—Middle Class.
25	26	27	28	1,100	1,100	—	—	—	—	III.—Agriculture Class and Petty Shopkeepers.
26	27	28	29	483	30	48	210	65	73	IV.—General Service Class.
27	28	29	30	—	—	—	—	—	—	V.—Unspecified.
28	29	30	31	21	13	1	7	1	—	I.—Professional and Independent Class.—
29	30	31	32	—	—	—	—	—	—	Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Pro- fessions.
30	31	32	33	430	271	129	90	79	4	II.—Middle Class.—
31	32	33	34	13	2	—	7	—	—	Clerks and Accountants.
32	33	34	35	123	39	79	105	13	—	Commercial Travellers.
33	34	35	36	4	—	—	—	—	—	Farmers.
34	35	36	37	11	—	—	—	—	—	Shopkeepers and Teachers.
35	36	37	38	200	100	85	61	54	—	Shopkeepers.
36	37	38	39	—	—	—	—	—	—	Shop Assistants.
37	38	39	40	—	—	—	—	—	—	"Others."
38	39	40	41	10	2	—	7	—	—	III.—Agriculture Class and Petty Shopkeepers.—
39	40	41	42	41	11	—	24	2	—	Bakers and Confectioners.
40	41	42	43	41	12	—	29	2	—	Butchers.
41	42	43	44	20	2	—	11	1	—	Butchers and Sausage Vendors.
42	43	44	45	7	—	—	—	—	—	Bookbinders.
43	44	45	46	9	4	—	—	—	—	Printers and Stationers.
44	45	46	47	290	85	28	60	3	—	Bookkeepers.
45	46	47	48	4	1	—	3	2	—	Cabinet-makers and Upholsterers.
46	47	48	49	3	1	—	2	1	—	Carpenters and Joiners.
47	48	49	50	12	5	1	17	1	—	Carpenters.
48	49	50	51	8	3	—	—	—	—	Cooks.
49	50	51	52	1	—	—	—	—	—	Engine Drivers.
50	51	52	53	1	—	—	—	—	—	Engineers.
51	52	53	54	1	—	—	—	—	—	Goldsmiths, Silversmiths and Jewellers.
52	53	54	55	1	—	—	—	—	—	Hatters and Furriers.
53	54	55	56	35	1	—	—	—	—	Millers.
54	55	56	57	37	21	2	7	4	—	Millwrights.
55	56	57	58	5	—	—	—	—	—	Painters, Paperhangers, Plasterers and Glaziers.
56	57	58	59	3	—	—	—	—	—	Plasterers.
57	58	59	60	3	—	—	—	—	—	Printers.
58	59	60	61	3	—	—	—	—	—	Seamstresses and Dressmakers.
59	60	61	62	35	1	—	—	—	—	Shoemakers and Bootmakers.
60	61	62	63	12	1	—	—	—	—	Stationers and Writers.
61	62	63	64	1	—	—	—	—	—	Superintendents and Police.
62	63	64	65	1	—	—	—	—	—	Tailors.
63	64	65	66	30	20	4	10	2	—	Wholesale and Retail.
64	65	66	67	31	25	4	14	2	—	Yards not before specified.
65	66	67	68	—	—	—	—	—	—	Other Companies trading with Trade.
66	67	68	69	4	3	—	1	—	—	IV.—General Service Class.—
67	68	69	70	35	3	—	—	—	—	Maids and Indian.
68	69	70	71	4	—	—	—	—	—	Boys and Farmhands.
69	70	71	72	4,061	1,215	646	1,865	1,207	3	General.
70	71	72	73	6	—	—	—	—	—	Labourers.
71	72	73	74	6	—	—	—	—	—	Quartermen.
72	73	74	75	40	18	—	—	—	—	Railway Labourers, Mariner, and Shipbuilders.
73	74	75	76	40	30	—	—	—	—	General.
74	75	76	77	—	—	—	—	—	—	Seamstresses.
75	76	77	78	603	30	40	295	45	72	V.—Unspecified (including children).
76	77	78	79	—	—	—	—	—	—	TOTAL FEMALES.
77	78	79	80	4,315	1,205	521	1,490	1,000	20	I.—Professional and Independent Class.
78	79	80	81	—	—	—	—	—	—	II.—Middle Class.
79	80	81	82	388	210	88	74	80	—	III.—Agriculture Class and Petty Shopkeepers.
80	81	82	83	289	74	80	135	80	—	IV.—General Service Class.
81	82	83	84	3,524	627	307	768	522	4	V.—Unspecified.
82	83	84	85	1,207	357	88	561	242	30	I.—Professional and Independent Class.—
83	84	85	86	—	—	—	—	—	—	Laundresses.
84	85	86	87	—	—	—	—	—	—	II.—Middle Class.—
85	86	87	88	21	10	2	10	5	—	Clerks and Typists.
86	87	88	89	63	32	5	26	22	—	Government, Public Institutions, and Teachers.
87	88	89	90	174	85	88	50	42	—	Shopkeepers.
88	89	90	91	—	—	—	—	—	—	Shop Assistants.
89	90	91	92	207	30	12	84	2	—	III.—Agriculture Class and Petty Shopkeepers.—
90	91	92	93	59	31	—	34	13	—	Barmaids and Milliners.
91	92	93	94	1	—	—	—	—	—	"Quartermen."
92	93	94	95	4	5	—	—	—	—	Waitresses.
93	94	95	96	—	—	—	—	—	—	Millwrights.
94	95	96	97	30	6	—	—	—	—	Seamstresses and Shipbuilders.
95	96	97	98	6	—	—	—	—	—	Yards not before specified.
96	97	98	99	—	—	—	—	—	—	Other Companies trading with Trade.
97	98	99	100	5	—	2	1	—	—	IV.—General Service Class.—
98	99	100	101	2,343	607	470	760	507	3	Maids, Seamen,
99	100	101	102	—	—	—	—	—	—	Labourers,
100	101	102	103	—	—	—	—	—	—	Seamstresses.
101	102	103	104	1,007	357	88	561	242	30	V.—Unspecified (including women and children).

DUBLIN CASTLE,

No. 5990

6th April, 1916.

SIR,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 4th instant, forwarding, for submission to His Excellency The Lord Lieutenant, Emigration Statistics of Ireland for the year 1915.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

MATTHEW NATHAN.

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